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# FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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### 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

#### Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

#### Small Entity Fee (\$)

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

**Total Claims** (44) **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)**  
58 - 20 or HP = 14 x 25 = 350.00

#### Multiple Dependent Claims

#### Fee (\$)

#### Fee Paid (\$)

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

**Indep. Claims** (7) **Extra Claims** **Fee (\$)** **Fee Paid (\$)**  
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3 APPLICANT: REUBEN BAHAR )  
4 FILED: 3/30/01 )  
5 FOR: "METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR )  
6 AUCTIONING BAD DEBTS UTILIZING )  
7 AN ASSORTING ARRANGEMENT )  
8 BASED ON THE GEOGRAPHIC )  
LOCATION WHERE JURISDICTION IS )  
PRESENT OVER THE DEBTOR" )

Art Unit 3628

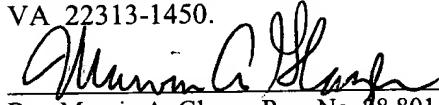
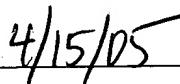
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20 **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of  
21 this paper.

22 **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.

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